



BA DEGREE (CBCS) EXAMINATION, MAY 2019

Second Semester

B.A Corporate Economics Model III

Core Course - EC2CRT05 - ELEMENTARY STATISTICS FOR ECONOMICS-II

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Maximum Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any **ten** questions.

Each question carries **2** marks.

1. Define SRSWR
2. Define sample design
3. Define sampling errors
4. Define partial correlation
5. What would be your interpretation if the correlation coefficient r is equal to 1) 0 , 2) -1 , 3) 1 , 4) 0.2
6. Define linear regression
7. Define method of least squares
8. Define index numbers
9. What is paasches method
10. What is value index number
11. What are the uses of time series
12. What is secular trend

Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries **5** marks.

13. what are the criteria for choosing census method and sample survey method
14. What are the merits of samplig
15. What are the essentials of good questionnaire
16. Explain scatter diagram
17. What are the merits and demerits of rank correlation coefficient?

18. What are the properties of regression analysis?

19. CALCULATE FISHERS INDEX NUMBER and examine whether it satisfies 1) time reversal test 2) factor reversal test

items	2009 price	2009 quantity	2010 price	2010 quantity
A	6	50	10	56
B	2	100	2	120
C	4	60	6	60
D	10	30	12	24

20. F Fit a straight line trend to the following series by method of least squares

year	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
production	56	55	51	47	42	38	35	32

21. What are the uses of secular trend?

Part C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries **15** marks.

22. Find Karl Pearson's coefficient of correlation

X	78	89	96	69	59	79	68	61
y	125	137	156	112	107	136	123	108

23. From the following data of the ages of husband and the age of wife, form 2 regression equations and calculate husband's age

Husband's age	36	23	27	28	28	29	30	31	33	35
Wife's age	29	18	20	22	27	21	29	27	29	28

24. From the following data construct index number using unweighted index number?

commodity	A	B	C	D	E
Price in 1998	50	40	80	110	20
Price in 2006	70	60	90	120	20

25. Trend equation is given by $3x^2 + 2x + 4$ with 2000 as origin. Shift the origin to 2002 and obtain the equation?